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Item # 22

Purchasing Service Agreement RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Subject: Authorize award and execution of a 12-month requirements supply contract with SUPERIOR STONE, INC., Austin TX, for cut or natural limestone boulders for the Watershed Protection and Development Review Department in an estimated amount not to exceed \$94,500, with two 12-month extension options in an estimated amount not to exceed \$94,500, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$283,500.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding in the amount of \$31,500 is available in the Fiscal Year 2005-2006 Approved Operating Budget for the Watershed Protection and Development Review Department. Funding for the remaining eight months of the original contract period and extension options is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Fiscal Note: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Additional Backup Material

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Superior Stone 051806RC
BID TAB

For More Information: R.C. Hernandez, Sr. Buyer/974-6434

Purchasing Language: Sole bid received.

MBE/WBE: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9 of the City Code (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program.) No subcontracting opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this solicitation.

This agreement is for the purchase of cut or natural limestone boulders for use in the construction of facing and support of creek bank stabilization and retaining wall projects by field erosion repair crews that will mitigate excessive channel erosion throughout the City of Austin.

Limestone boulders provide effective erosion resistance in stream channels to protect structures (houses, buildings). In addition, limestone boulders have replaced gabion baskets which have been used in past years, as they have been proven to be more effective in reducing maintenance costs.

PRICE ANALYSIS

- Sole bidder. Other potential bidders, Austin Crushed Stone Company, Inc., E.B. McGrath Builders LLC, Garcia General Contractors and Quality Stone Company, Inc. were not able to provide a bid at this time because they did not have the material in stock or could not obtain the material for this solicitation.
- Thirty notices were sent including one MBE and two WBEs. Five solicitations were issued, no MBE/WBEs. One bid was received.
- The pricing offered represents an 8% decrease from the last award made August 30, 2005.

APPROVAL JUSTIFICATION

- a. The Purchasing Office concurs with the Watershed Protection & Development Review Department's recommended award.**
- b. Advertised in the Austin American-Statesman and on the Internet.**

RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: 5/18/06

VENDOR NAME: Superior Stone, Inc.

BID TABULATION
CUT LIMESTONE BOULDERS
IFB No. RH06100030

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Unit Price</u>	<u>Extended Price</u>
SUPERIOR STONE, INC.	500	22"x 24"x 60"	\$125	\$62,500
AUSTIN, TEXAS	200	24"x 36"x 48"	\$100	\$20,000
	200	18"x 24" x 36"	\$ 60	<u>\$12,000</u>
		Total		\$94,500